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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

LEFT TURN LANE WORK AT INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAY 183 AND SAN JON ROAD IN SALINAS—BEGINS TODAY

SALINAS – Crews began construction today on eastbound Highway 183 to establish a left turn lane onto San Jon Road, Caltrans officials announced.

Work is expected to be complete by early August. One lane will remain open in each direction at all times. Work hours are Mondays through Fridays 8 am to 4 pm. Up to 10 minute delays are expected.

The contractor for this \$573,000 project is Granite Construction of Watsonville.

Caltrans reminds motorists to 'Slow for the Cone Zone.'

For lane closure information on this project and for traffic updates on other Caltrans projects in Monterey County, residents can call the District 5 toll free number at 1-831-372-0862 or can visit our website at www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upmon.htm

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